## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

JEFFREY M. MULLER; et al.,

Plaintiffs, : **No. 2:10-CV-6110 (WHW) (CCC)** 

v.

THE HON. PHILIP J. MAENZA, et al., : **DECLARATION OF** 

Defendants. : DANIEL J. PISZCZATOSKI

- I, Daniel J. Piszczatoski, declare as follows:
- 1. I am a civilian employee of the FBI and I received specific information indicating that a terrorist organization might target myself or my family because of my association with the FBI.
- 2. I would carry an operable handgun in public for self-defense, but I refrain from doing so because I fear arrest, prosecution, fine, and imprisonment because I do not hold a Permit to Carry issued pursuant to N.J.S.A. § 2C:58-4.
- 3. I applied for a Permit to Carry a handgun pursuant to N.J.S.A. § 2C:58-4 from the Wayne Police Department on February 20, 2010. A copy of my application is attached as Exhibit 1.
- 4. Chief Stouthamer of the Wayne Police Department approved my application on May 27, 2010. Ex. 1.
- 5. Defendant Judge Filko denied my application for a Permit on November 3, 2010 on the ground that I did not have "justifiable need." A copy of Judge Filko's decision is attached as Exhibit 2.

6. I met all of the requirements for issuance of a Permit to Carry, except I was found to lack "justifiable need to carry a handgun."

I affirm all of the foregoing statements under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America.

Daniel J. Piszczatoski

Dated: December 19, 2010